

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

V.

CASE NO. 1:17CR136-SA

CHARLES COTTON

DEFENDANT

ORDER GRANTING CONTINUANCE

This criminal matter is before the court on the motion of the Defendant for a continuance of the March 12, 2018, trial setting in this cause. Grounds for the continuance of this trial are based on the fact that Defendant's counsel has been unable to complete an adequate review of the discovery produced in this matter. Therefore, Defendant's counsel needs additional time to prepare for trial. The Government does not oppose the motion.

It appears to the Court that the motion for continuance is well taken and that the same should be granted. It further appears to the Court, and the Court so finds, that the ends of justice will be served by granting the subject continuance, and that such action outweighs the best interest of the public and the Defendant in a speedy trial.

THEREFORE, it is hereby **ORDERED**, that the pending Motion to Continue [11] is **GRANTED** and that the trial of this matter is **CONTINUED**, as to all Defendants from March 12 2018, until May 29, 2018, in Oxford, Mississippi at 9:40 a.m. The plea agreement deadline is reset for May 15, 2018. The pre-trial motion deadline is reset for May 1, 2018. It is further **ORDERED** that the delay from this date until commencement of the trial shall be excluded from all computations relative to the Speedy Trial Act pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) and (B), as to the Defendant.

SO ORDERED this 8th day of March, 2018.

/s/ Sharion Aycock  
U. S. DISTRICT COURT